

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace paragraph [0036] of the published application with the following amended paragraph:

[0036] In the initial phase of the small format A1, the operating lever is raised upwards and has no action on the pusher member. In this phase, the pinion (P5) of the pressing roller meshes with the pinion (P1), the pinion (P2) meshes with the pinion ([P4]]P3), itself meshing with the pinion (P7) of the drum, whilst the pinion (P6) of the drum meshes with the pinion (P4) of the pressing roller. In this configuration, the pusher member is not stressed, the cams remain in position and the elastic seal for retaining these is neither stressed nor deformed. The end of the cam (15) is located in the plane of the pinion (P1), without projecting. In this configuration, the pulled strip of material is arranged according to the first format (A1), for example 20 cm, and at each revolution of the drum there is the emergence of the cutting blade, the pinion (P7) meshing with the pinion ([P4]]P3) and causing the emergence of the cutting blade. The downward tilting of the operating lever for the purpose of cutting to the second format (A2) has the result of causing axial displacement of the pusher member. The slanted part on the inner face of the lever will cause the rearward disengagement of the pusher member.